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OXYGEN DETECTION SYSTEM FOR A RIGID CONTAINER

Election of Claims

Commissioner for Patents P.O. BOX 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire June 24, 2005, applicants hereby elect, without traverse, the claims of Group I, i.e. claims 1 to 7. The remaining claims have been canceled.

The Office Action dated May 24, 2005 also requires applicants to elect a single disclosed species.

In compliance with the Office Action, applicants hereby elect the species A of claims 2 and 4, covering a three layer film. The claims readable thereon are believed to be claims 1, 2, 4 and 7.

A Listing of Claims as amended begins on page 2 of this paper, and Remarks appear on page 4 of this paper.